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Dear Mr. Jones,

Applicants hereby request expedited issuance of the above-identified patent application. The issue fee was paid on August 16, 2005. This application includes claims to TMC 125, one of Janssen Pharmaceutica, N.V.'s HIV compounds currently in Phase III clinical development. The patent term restoration under 35 U.S.C. § 156 will not begin until the patent is issued.

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